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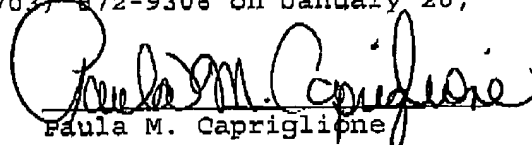
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SUPPLEMENTAL REPLY TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Sir:

This supplemental reply is in response to the Notice mailed January 7, 2005 for the above-identified application. This reply is being filed within the one month shortened statutory period for response set in the Notice.

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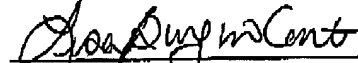
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Applicants elect species 1, shown in Figures 1-5 and claims 1-6, 8-10, 12-17, 19-21 and 24 which read thereon. The election is made without traverse. However, Applicants expressly reserve the right to have any remaining claims reinstated when allowable subject matter is indicated.

Respectfully submitted,

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